

**Ancient temples of Pauri and
Chamoli Districts**

2015. SHRI BHUWAN CHANDRA KHANDURI Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the names of the ancient temples, historical buildings and other places in Pauri and Chamoli districts of Uttar Pradesh under the Archaeological Survey of India;

(b) whether this department proposes to take charge of some temples, buildings or places of historical importance of these two districts;

(c) if so, whether the temple of Gujadoogarhi and other shrines in Nainidanda Development Block area of Pauri district are also included in the list; and

(d) if so, the details thereof; and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH): (a) A list of monuments/sites under Central protection in District Chamoli is attached as statement. There is no monument/site protected by the Central Government in District Pauri.

(b) At present there is no such proposal under consideration of the Government.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) The worthiness of the temple and shrines have not been assessed for protection as monument of national importance under the Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Sites and Remains Act, 1985.

**UTTAR PRADESH
DISTRICT-CHAMOLI**

Sl. No.	Locality	Name of monument/site
1.	ADBADRI	Remains of Sixteen temples
2.	CHANDPUR	Fort with walls and ruins of dwelling houses inside it and with flights of steps.
3.	GOPESHWAR	Trident of iron with a shaft with one ancient and three modern inscriptions.
4.	-do-	Rudranath temple
5.	PANDUKESHWAR	Two temples
6.	VILLAGE MANDAL No. 89.	Rock inscription in Survey Plot